*Statement, by caste, of contractors of the P. W. D.*

242. *MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kalkulam* cum *Vilavankod*): Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a caste-war list of contractors of the P. W. D. in the respective Divisions?

MR. S. SESHA AIYAR (*Deputy Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings, and Irrigation*): A* statement is laid on the table.

MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI: കൺട്രാക്ടന്മാരുടെ ജാതിതിരിച്ചുള്ള പട്ടിക ആവശ്യപ്പെട്ടതിൽ പട്ടികയുടെ ഒടുവിൽ ഫേംസ് എന്ന് പറഞ്ഞുകാണുന്നു. ഇതിലുള്ള കണ്ട്രാക്ടന്മാർ ഏതു ജാതിയിൽ പെട്ടവരാണെന്നു പറയാമോ?

MR. S. SESHA AIYAR: Firms cannot be classed by communities.

*Azheekal Vernacular School, Karunagapally.*

243. *MR. CODIVEETIL C. RAMANKUNJU (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) when the Azheekal Vernacular School in Karunagapalli came to their possession;

(*b*) whether any agreement was entered into between the Government and the Arayas (founders of the school) in the locality;

(*c*) if the answer to part (*b*) is in the affirmative, whether they will be pleased to place on the table a copy of the agreement;

(*d*) whether the school is still run as stipulated in the agreement; and

(*e*) the present condition of the school?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Director of Public Instruction*): (*a*) 5-10-1089.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) A copy of the agreement is placed on the Secretary's table.

(*d*) and (*e*) The site and the building referred to in the agreement were washed away by the sea. The school has no site and building of its own and it is now being held in a temporary shed put up in a private compound.

MR. CODIVEETIL C. RAMAN KUNJU: പുതിയ കെട്ടിടം ഉണ്ടാക്കി ഉടമ്പടി അനുസരിച്ചു ആ സ്കൂൾ നടത്താൻ ഗവണ്മെൻറു ഉദ്ദേശിക്കുന്നുണ്ടോ?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN: The matter has been under consideration for some time.

*Puliyoor-Mannar road.*

244. *MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI (*Tiruvalla*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they or the P. W. D. has taken steps for the improvement of the Puliyoor-Mannar road and for sanctioning a *junghar* service at the Ittinayarkadavu ferry; and

* *Vide* Appendix II.

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(*b*) the steps taken hitherto in the matter (till 14-3-1113)?

**MR. S. SESHA AIYAR:** (*a*) and (*b*) The member is referred to Interpellation No. 192 on page 807 of Vol. X, No. 12 of the Sree Mulam Assembly Proceedings.

**MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI:** May I know the date on which interpellation No. 192 was answered on the floor of the House?

**MR. S. SESHA AIYAR:** I claim notice.

**MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI:** May I know the period to which that interpellation related?

**MR. S. SESHA AIYAR:** I claim notice.

**PRESIDENT:** As the honourable member is comparatively a new member, I do not take any objection to his present answer; but, normally, if answers to interpellations refer to documents, such documents must be in the control of the honourable member answering.

**MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI:** Has any estimate been submitted to the Government for the improvement of the Puliyoor—Mannar Road?

**MR. S. SESHA AIYAR:** No estimate has been submitted to Government; an estimate has been prepared, and is awaiting sanction for want of funds.

**MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI:** When was that estimate prepared?

**MR. S. SESHA AIYAR:** About a year ago.

**MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI:** What is the estimated cost for the improvement of the road?

**MR. S. SESHA AIYAR:** Rs. 6,720.

*Outlet for flood water in the Ambalapuzha taluk.*

245. ***MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI:** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether any scheme has been submitted to the Government regarding the diversion of flood water in the river Pampa and the *punja* lands in Kuttanad to the Arabian Sea by making a proper outlet at or near Purakkad in the Ambalapuzha taluk;

(*b*) whether they have considered the desirability or possibility of making such an outlet; and

(*c*) if the answers to parts (*a*) and (*b*) are in the negative, whether they have considered this question or taken any steps in respect therof?

**MR. S. SESHA AIYAR:** (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) This does not arise in view of the answers to parts (*a* and (*b*).

**MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI:** May I know the important recommendations contained in the scheme submitted to the Government?

**MR. S. SESHA AIYAR:** I claim notice.

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